

in New England

Massachusetts House Joins Hearst Fight to Stop Sale of the Merchant Marine

Unstinted praise for William Randolph Hearst and the Hearst newspapers, for exposing America's grave danger in selling the merchant fleet to foreign powers and successfully preventing their sale against the interest of the government, is contained in the following order, unanimously adopted by the Massachusetts House of Representatives:

"Ordered—That the House of Representatives of Massachusetts records itself as being unalterably opposed to the sale of any vessels of the American Merchant Marine now controlled by the Shipping Board of the United States, to any foreign nation, corporation or individual, and as being of the opinion that said ships should be preserved for the use and benefit of the American people and should be kept forever under the American flag.

"The House of Representatives also records its hearty approval of the patriotic efforts of those American citizens and those newspapers which brought to public and judicial attention the dangerous possibility that these ships might be sold by the Shipping Board to foreign powers, thereby depriving the American people of the merchant fleet obtained at such costly sacrifice during the World War; and be it further,

"Ordered, that copies of this order be sent to the President of the United States and the Senators and Representatives from Massachusetts in the Congress of the United States."

William Randolph Hearst, as a taxpayer, frustrated the original plan of the United States Shipping Board to sell the great fleet of former German ships, now a part of the American merchant marine, by going into the courts and obtaining a permanent injunction against such sale. The Supreme Court of the District of Columbia held that Congress alone had power to authorize it.

Through his newspapers, Mr. Hearst also has protested to Congress against the sections of the Jones bill which would permit the sale of the ships under certain restrictions. The Hearst newspapers have kept their columns open to public-spirited citizens who desired to join in this protest, and scores of such protests have been printed.

30 JOKER SHIP BILL

Democrats Express Attempt to Reimburse Builders and Measure Goes Back to Committee

Washington, June 4.—Plans of the Republican leaders to jam the Jones shipping bill through the House were blocked when the Democrats introduced a joker which, it was declared, would have cost the government from fifty million to sixty million dollars.

A point of order against the joker provision by Representative Garrett, Democrat of Tennessee, was sustained by Speaker Gillett, and the whole bill was sent back to committee.

IN SENATE FIRST. The conference was hurriedly called to session again and the joker provision was taken up. It was declared that the conference had exceeded their authority by inserting the joker which had never been passed on by either the Senate or House and even when they had no authority to do so.

Restoring the point of order over the joker provision, the conference was asked to restore the bill to its original form. The conference refused to do so, and the bill was sent back to committee.

FAVORED WOODEN BUILDERS. Discussion of the point of order decided that the conference had exceeded its authority in inserting the joker which had never been passed on by either the Senate or House and even when they had no authority to do so.

Under the joker provision, the Shipping Board, if it is transferred to the Federal Government, would be able to build wooden ships for the merchant marine.

WORLD OPEN TREASURY. This "vicious provision," Mr. Garrett declared, would have the effect of opening the Treasury to the public treasury to claim of every citizen.

The wooden ship bill, which the House rejected and which in effect the conference attempted to get into the Jones bill by means of the joker, authorized the Shipping Board to settle with the wooden shipbuilders for losses not covered by former contracts with the Shipping Board.

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Dorchester Girls Make Own Hats



Miss Marian Heller, black trimmed with rosebuds and silver ribbon.

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TO KIFE SCHOOL EXPENSES

Maden to Eliminate Positions and Features, Saving City \$10,000 a Year

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MEXICO QUIET ON EAST COAST

Washington Informed New Provisional President Has Been Installed

By Universal Service.
Washington, June 4.—Conditions are more favorable on the east coast of Mexico, with all ports quiet, than they have been "at any time for a long period." It was announced by the State Department.

The department also stated that the embassy at Mexico City has formally notified this government that the new Mexican provisional president, who has been installed in office and that the diplomatic missions have been so informed.

Other official advice reported that the attack of Villa on Parral was repulsed and that the forces of General Ignacio Zaragoza are in active pursuit.

The appreciation of the situation disclosed in State Department news indicates that there is already a large degree of that stability which will warrant the good will of the diplomatic officers here.

DESERPTION CHARGED BY CAMBRIDGE WIFE
Mrs. Florence A. Johnson of Cambridge has filed a suit for divorce against her husband, Ernest Johnson of Hartford, Ct. They were married in Wallingford, May 21, 1914. She alleges cruel treatment and desertion on June 11, 1918. She seeks for the custody of three children.

Name Lucky Murphys for Harvard Prizes

The Murphys have it. Two young men of that name at Harvard are to receive \$250 scholarships. T. M., who is in the medical school, and R. T., a freshman, because the late William Stannard Murphy of Boston, class of '82, left a fund to provide students of that name with the wherewithal for an education, are the lucky students—providing the faculty says they are fit.

HARVARD MAN WINS THREE BOWDOIN PRIZES

John F. Fulton of St. Paul, Minn., a Harvard sophomore, is a double winner in the competition for the Bowdoin prizes. He carried off one of the two \$250, a stipend of \$250 being the reward, and two second prizes, adding \$100 more to his funds. The rules allow a student to enter more than one essay, and Fulton's two brought him \$450.

Domino Syrup

Delicious for table use just right for cooking.

American Sugar Refining Company

"Sweeten it with Domino"

Learn the Jersey Difference by eating JERSEY Corn Flakes with berries and seasonable fruits

STAY CRISP IN MILK



Ask your grocer

GILCHRIST'S BASEMENT STORE

Our Self-Selling Reduction Plan Greater Bargains

See Mail or Phone Order Filled in Basement

Women's and Misses' COATS—SUITS



Smart Polo Cloth COATS
In the most desirable styles; of all wool polo cloth; patch pockets; pinch backs; belted models; fawn only. \$9.50

Tricotine and Serge SUITS
In beautiful quality all wool tricotines, silver-lined tricotines and men's wear serges; all are attractively silk lined. \$21.50

GOODYEAR WELTS WOMEN'S OXFORDS
Because they are slight seconds, we offer these high grade shoes at this low price; some have well known brand on soles; brown and black leathers; Cuban and French heels. \$4.99

SPORT COATS
For the Junior Miss of 13 to 19 Years \$10.98

High grade wool polo cloth or alpacas; full cut model; self or leather belts; patch pockets.

Girls' and Juniors' SMOCKS \$1.98

Attractive models in rose, blue or white; white or lavender; faded colors; hand embroidered in contrasting colors; each belt; sizes 8 to 14.

Sample Voile WAISTS \$1.98

Fine quality voile waists in round square or V neck models; long or short sleeves; trimmed with dainty Val lace; embroidery, tucks, frills or ruffles; many with hemstitched seams; wonderful variety to select from; plenty of extra sizes.

RAYMOND'S

Wonder Why?

Wonder why the people piled in here last Saturday and left more money for actual purchases made that day than in any other one store in Boston. Goin some ain't it for the Democratic saw mill managed store, and still we make this claim an if any ofem dispute it, we'll turn over to the Editor of the Boston American vouchers and everything necessary to prove it, providing of course the Duck who disputes it, will do the same. There are no doubt many people who won't believe this, but there are thousands and thousands and more thousands among those who saw a sight last Saturday, which we believe was never before equalled (when nothing out of the ordinary was advertised, attempted or thought of) who will believe it, and we didn't induce, lead on, influence, prevail, wheedle, beguile, jolly, implore, beseech, entreat, cajole, coerce, urge, importune, exhort, force, incite, ensnare, mislead, lure, inveigle or hire 'em to come in. Wonder why they come?

Yours truly, where U bot the hat

More Men's Suits

More Suits, Cassimeres, Worsteds, Serges, not many size 40, but most all other sizes, a corking good bunch

25.00	25.00	25.00
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MORE BETTER SUITS, ALL SIZES IN THIS LOT

35.00	35.00	35.00
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More Suits picked up from different stores who either wanted to swapem for dough or had cold feet. Some ofem are fierce but there's lot of fellers will be tickled to getem if they can find the sizes

15.00	15.00	15.00
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More Palm Beach and other Outing Suits. Big bunch on the Philadelphia table

9.75	9.75	9.75
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PANTS PANTS PANTS
1948 pair GOOD PANTS all ready Friday and Saturday, all divided in three lots

3.00	4.00	5.00
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BOYS' CLOTHING

BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS. Summer St. Clothing House close out their odd and broken lots of Boys' Suits, made to sell from 7.50 to 10. 8 to 17 sizes. 5.75

BOYS' BLUE SERGE SUITS. all wool, fast colors. All sizes, 8 to 18 years. 12.75-15.50

BOYS' KHAKI PANTS. 877 pairs good ones. 95c

BOYS' WASH SUITS. Big table Slipover Suits, 2 to 6 sizes, advertised as great bargains in other stores at 1.45; we are not losing money when we sell 'em for 95c

MORE BOYS' OVERALLS. Blue drill, 4 to 14 sizes. Pair 1.15

BOYS' SUMMER UNION SUITS. 55c-95c

BOYS' BLOUSES. Lot broken sizes, mostly 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 sizes. Clean-up. 65c

Men's Furnishings

25c Ties	95c
65c Government Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers	1.50
85c Nainsook Union Suits	2.50
95c Night Shirts	5.00
1.25 Blue Chambray Work Shirts	5.50
1.95 One-piece Silk Frog Pajamas	6.50

TIMETOSWIMAGIN

More one piece Bathing Suits	95c
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More one piece Bathing Suits	5.50
More one piece Bathing Suits	6.50

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BARNEY'S GUARD FIGHTS WARDEN

Engages Counsel to Appear at
Hearing; Seeks Reinstatement
and "Vindication"

Seeking complete vindication and reinstatement at the State prison, William J. Crowley, the guard who was suspended by Warden Shattuck for "failure to do his full duty" the night of the Barney-Manster-Ward break from the jail, has engaged counsel to appear in his behalf next Tuesday.

The State Correction Committee on this date will grant a hearing to Crowley and Manster. The latter, a guard, was also discharged by Shattuck following the escape of the convict.

District Attorney Pollister will seek grand jury indictments of Barney, Manster and Ward for escaping from the prison. The grand jury comes in next Monday.

In Barney's case, ten years additional sentence and a year's solitary confinement in the maximum penalty for the offence. In the case of Manster, a "life" solitary punishment would probably be inflicted.

Several avenues of escape from State prison have been discovered by Warden Shattuck as a result of a complete investigation of the institution following the break.

Plans are under way to strengthen the prison and prevent a repetition of events which allowed the dangerous trio to gain their liberty.

During his investigation Warden Shattuck found many places where prisoners could escape with less exertion than that required by the three men who escaped through the ventilation of the attention wing.

The ventilator used by Barney, Manster and Ward has been re-constructed so that escape by that means will be almost impossible.

GENERAL ELECTRIC STRIKE NEARS

National Heads Now Here May
Call Out General Electric
Workers Tomorrow

National organizers have arrived in Boston with sanction for the union machinists and electricians of the General Electric Company's Lynn plant to strike at any time.

Union workers at the company's plant are said to plan a strike tomorrow, in sympathy with those now out at the Schenectady, N.Y., Wayne, Erie and Pittsburgh shops of the company.

General Electric Company officials, strike leaders declare, are spreading propaganda throughout the Lynn plant, in an attempt to disrupt the union, although at the same time professing belief in the organizations.

Their latest action, the union men say, has been to send letters to the homes of union workers notifying their wives and mothers of the strike activities going forward, and stating that "they have interests not always beneficial to their home interests."

The officials of the plant are charged with thus seeking to create discord in the homes of their employees. A strike without fail is predicted if the alleged propaganda continues.

The winter, who struck three weeks ago, are still out. As a result, it is stated, millions of dollars' worth of orders from European nations for turbine engines have been cancelled. The unions declare that substitutes for the striking winter have not been secured in spite of the efforts of the company.

**CANDIDATES INVITED
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Chicago, June 4.—A gigantic mass meeting of prohibition forces from parts of the United States has been called for Chicago, June 6, which all presidential candidates will be invited to attend and state their position with reference to the prohibition amendment.

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Attack on Party Machine is Called an Open Appeal for Revolt

Chicago, June 4.—Governor R. Livingston Beeckman of Rhode Island was the storm center of the Republican convention gathering today, following a bitter denunciation on the "state oligarchy" and the Republican machine.

"An open appeal for revolt" was the way the "stand-pat" chiefs interpreted the vitriolic outburst of the Rhode Island Governor.

Party whips were desperately busy trying to "head off" any such revolt. Indications were that the "stand-pat" moved roundly by Beeckman, was ready to make extraordinary concessions to appease the hurt feelings of the general run of delegates. Governor Beeckman's attack was the more sensational in view of his record as a "safe and sane" Republican, dean of the Governors of American States and head of the delegation from Rhode Island.

CALLS LOGIC A "BOGUS"

His caustic references to Senator Lodge and other "mugula" of the Upper House in the course of a newspaper interview were gladly acclaimed by hundreds of ordinary delegates who have resented the alleged dictatorship.

"One would think that the gathering here next week was to be a historic caucus instead of a Republican national convention," commented the Rhode Island executive dryly.

"I read in the newspapers in Rhode Island, and others I obtained on my way here from New York, Indiana and Illinois, that Senator Do and I was to be Temporary Chairman of the convention, and Senator Do and I think he will become permanent chairman if he can get the support of Senator Somebody Else. I read also that Senator Do and I think he can be Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, if he gets the support of Senator Somebody Else. And the

Income Tax Payment
Due on June 15

Notification of the imminence of the second quarterly installment of the Federal income tax, which falls due before 5 p. m. June 15, was received by all taxpayers today. The bills were sent through the mail from the office of Internal Revenue Collector John J. Mitchell.

Attention was called to one item headed "Balance," which was frequently misunderstood last year. This represents the total sum unpaid and not necessarily the amount due in the second installment. Checks and money orders should be made payable to "Collector of Internal Revenue," and mailed to No. 50 Boylston street, Boston 111.

proxy of some other Senator Somebody Else.

"I did not see anywhere the mention of a Republican member of the House of Representatives or any of the twenty-seven Republican Governors who will be here next week.

STANDS ON RIGHTS.

"I am the dean of Governors in this country. I have served three terms and have been offered a fourth nomination for the same office. I think I have the right to say that the Republican members of the House of Representatives and the twenty-seven Republican Governors should at least have been considered, if not consulted in the preliminaries to the convention."

"I am in great hopes that the convention will run the convention," he went on after a short pause. "I am in hopes that it will not be run by an outside autocratic body. I am not an autocrat. I do not believe in the substitution of autocratic for representative methods in our political action."

Governor Beeckman's little "war" against the chairman of the Republican National Committee, according to the politicians. He read several times the flow of eloquence and sarcasm from the Rhode Island tongue.

Governor Beeckman concluded his talk by declaring that he was opposed in the election of any United States Senator to the president. His minority attitude to the "twelve United States Senators who signed

ARRESTED IN ATTEMPT
TO SELL STOLEN STOCK

James Coughlin of Marney street, Cambridge, was arrested today in an attempt to sell stock certificates alleged to have been stolen from the office of Louis Heigel at No. 1118 Cambridge street, Cambridge, the night of May 5. Security stolen were 2,000 shares of Imperial Consolidated Mining Company, valued at about \$15, and 2,000 shares of Seven Metals valued at about \$250, all the property of Max Berger of Cambridge. There was also taken from the safe \$150, the property of Heigel. Inspectors Connolly, Dorsey and Laughlin arrested Coughlin in a brokerage office on Devonshire street, near State street, with 1,700 shares of the stock. Coughlin claimed he found the certificates on railroad tracks near the store. He was turned over to the Cambridge police.

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MELROSE CHILD TO DEATH

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MEXICO A NATION OF 'GUN TOTING' GENERALS--IBANEZ

Continued From First Page.

Verity of the situation in the revolutionary situation. Most of them had some small job under the government of Porfirio Diaz, or else they were ordinary laborers, or even men who were engaged under the revolutionary banner and managed to win the little gold eagle, which is the symbol of their present rank. The latest official special rank that I found represented among the generals was that of university student. Scattered among the few officers of urban origin there are generals who were formerly teachers, even coaches from the cattle regions.

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listen to their city-bred comrades with wide open mouths and kindle at every mention of the word "revolution." "Democracy," "redistribution of property," and so on—phrases they do not understand at all, but which send thrills of sacred conviction up and down their backs whenever they hear them. All these generals have of their humble origin, and go out of their way to refer to it as a title of distinction. Some of them are "Socialist generals," while others claim even to be "Bulnevian." The "Socialist" of the rank and file must be careful not to give the principles of brotherly love into matters of discipline. The "Bulnevian" is the quite capable of ordering a hundred executions or as just to "keep order." The generals, as a rule, hate uniforms. Many of them never own one, or they are ready for dress parade.

GUN NATION'S TOY

The general's outfit has one other distinctive mark—the revolver. I remember that as a boy I used to see the low generals in Spain, France and other European countries, when they were in citizen clothes, were armed with revolvers. There are machine-gun pistols. There are pistols with folding stocks that can be instantaneously transferred into rifles. There are large-bore pistols made for firing explosive bullets.

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and rather under their waists than in a train and suddenly you start with surprise. A general has just vanished through a little door marked "Gentlemen," but before hurrying away, he has taken off his belt and parked his artillery on the seat beside you. The arguments that spring up at all hours of day and night between these armed men are a source of danger not only to themselves but to the public. At least, one general killed another at high noon in some of the city and nobody arrests him. Then again, two generals will open fire in the middle of a public park and the cannonade does not stop until all their ammunition has been exhausted. A matter of thirty or forty minutes, perhaps, and no casualties—unless perhaps some passerby, not knowing that two generals are shooting at each other in that particular place, runs into a bullet before he can get away.

LIFE PERPETUAL MOVIE

To be fair to the generals, I must say that they are not the only people in Mexico who carry guns. Revolvers are as indispensable as sections in a gentleman's wardrobe. Mexico has a long history of being a land of a gun. The "movie" men do not have to reach their brains for subjects. They read the papers. Murders, assassinations, highway robberies, kidnappings, bandits, masked men, the capital, no less, was the home of the famous "Band of the Gray Car." The Mexican public has always supposed that gang to have been in the employ of the president. People are even more specific. They allege that the leader was one

of the present candidates for the presidency of the republic. The only difference between general and civilian, in the matter of revolvers, is that the general wears his gun in full view, while ordinary people keep them half concealed. The revolver is used for all sorts of purposes. Whenever I was at a picnic in the country and bottles had to be opened, some friend was sure to produce a pistol. "It is so much simpler, you see. And civilian or soldier as he might chance to be, he would hammer away at the metal top of the bottle until it came off. And the weapon was loaded all the time!" Mexico is a blessed country! There is something abominable, when about its country. When a friend shaken hands with you, he throws one

arm over the shoulder of an acquaintance. I used, out of curiosity, to let my hand fall gradually downward toward his belt. It never got quite that far. In the neighborhood of the state capital, I would always encounter a sort of metallic framework. It was the revolver and its holster, along with a whole magazine of cartridges. The Mexican revolver is intended for the long-drawn-out battle it requires a lavish supply of munition.

CARRANZA SPOTTED "GAT."

For the life of me, I could never find out whether the Dean of the University also carried a gun. The city has always avoided my embrace, and his studious precautions against any such contingency left me convinced that my suspicions of him

were well founded. "Oh, my dear friend—do, no, do not see you." And I went around embracing them all one after the other, and they all had the inevitable revolver. When I say all, I mean all—ministers, under-secretaries, journalists, deputies and Senators—and these latter with good reason, because debates in Congress often end with an exchange of a bullet or two outside the chambers. Even Carranza himself carried a horn pistol with an extra large supply of munition. Poor Don Venustiano! He knew his time and his people only too well! He felt himself surrounded by experts in "dar la vuelta," by people only too ready to bite the hand that was feeding them.

(CONTINUED TOMORROW.)

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June 5th Bargain Day in Roxbury June 5th

SATURDAY SPECIALS

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Today and Tomorrow

COATS
\$12.50

Comprising 100 New Spring and Summer models. Materials are velvet, light weight silvertones and serge, colors, new blue, sand, taupe and two-tone mixtures.

WHITE WASH SKIRTS

\$2.98

This lot comprises all the very latest and smartest styles. Materials are fine gabardine, wash satin, satin stripes, cotton tricotine, etc. Large pearl buttons, unique belts and novelty pockets.

Graduation Suits

\$13.75

Judging from the many customers who have purchased our heavy serge suits, after making a comparison, we feel justified in saying that in our \$13.75 serge suits you get greater value for your money. Snappy models with inverted plaids, etc. 8 to 18 years.

\$25 Serge Suits Now \$20.90

Graduation Frocks

For the Young Miss

Girls' White Poplin or Jean Middy Skirts, full pleated skirts; 8 to 16 years. \$3.95

Friday and Saturday... \$3.95

White Organdie Dresses, of very fine quality, jacket style, lace trimming and deep tucked skirt; 8 to 14 years... \$6.95

Other Smart Styles, in voiles and nets, ranging from \$8.95 to \$16.50

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Friday and Saturday Specials

Ladies' \$2.00 Mercerized Lisle Union Suits—Richelle brand, lace and cuff knee; regular and extra sizes. Special at... 1.35

Ladies' \$1.29 Summer Weight Union Suits—Low neck, sleeveless, cuff knee; regular and extra sizes. Special at... 79c

Boys' \$1.50 Summer Weight Union Suits—Madewell brand, sizes up to 16. Special at... 1.35

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Ladies' \$2.25 Pure Thread Silk Hosiery—Samples in light and dark gray and tan. Special at... 1.49

Ladies' \$1.50 Pure Silk and Fibre Hosiery—Samples in taupe and shades. Special at... 69c

Ladies' \$2.75 Pure Silk and Fibre Hosiery—Fashioned back, Gordon Brand, in black and colors. Special at... 2.19

Children's \$1.50 Sport Socks—Mercerized lisle, in black, white and tan. Special at... 98c

Men's 29c Cotton Half Hose—in black and white; slight irregular. Special at... 19c

TWO-DAY SPECIALS IN SHOES

Children's and Misses' Play Shoes

Textan and leather soles, \$1.29

Goodyear stitch. Sizes 5 to 8. Sizes 8 1/2 to 11 and 11 1/2 to 14... \$1.49

Misses' White Canvas Mary Jane Pumps, leather soles and \$1.69

heels. Sizes 1 1/4 to 2, special

Women's White Canvas, Rubber Sole and Heel Ankle Strap Pump—\$1.99

special values

HAMMOCKS

\$17.80 Heavy Double Couch Hammock—All steel frame, tubular National spring and chain hung \$12.95

Stands \$8.25 and \$8.25

PROGRESS, BOSTON 2

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The first thing I noticed was
on the side of the road.
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Thinking about it, I build-
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Marriage Intentions

BOSTON

Baker at West Roxbury, widowed, and
Pauline Hendrix, 29, nurse, Auburn, Me.
Robert Hermann, 26, photo engraver,
at 108 Ash at Mid Market 1 Boston 2
Engraver same address
Michael J. Stealy, 26, conductor at State
at Brighton and Margaret M. Dunham
at at home 2 Brookline 44 Allston
Arlene H. Brown, 44, painter - State
at 101 N. and Annie M. K. K.
at 101 N. and

Sloane, 27, at home, 23 Hartford st.
 S. William J. Langridge, 34, steamship clerk
 & Altham st., widowed, and Naomi F. Fisher
 22, at home Lyndale, P. E. 1.
 Lyndale R. Nowell 24 electrician
 Wrenell at Cambridge, and Marygrove Brock
 23, stenographer 134 Huntington av.
 (care Lamont, 22, printer's helper Pe-
 ham and Ann M. Feisigna, 21 housekeeper
 126 N. 8th St., Boston.
 William R. Propoy 20, leather buyer, 2
 Ashmont at Dorchester, and Alice E. M.

29 geographer, Warrington.
John M. Donovan, 27 27 Pearl st., Cambridge,
Mass., and Ellen M. Kellier, 27, 297 Elm
Cambridge
Henry H. Hubbel M. engineer 2 Commerce
wealth st., and Katharine M. Walker, 27,
Woburn st.
Daniel W. Sullivan, 27, 124 Tremont
st. and Mary F. McAllister, 27, 124 Tremont
Boston
Adeline M. Cadby 23 for Herbert
Beckham, 27, Nassau, and Catherine I.

Inventory Enwright Estate
An inventory of the estate
Hanna T. Enwright of Lowell, who
died February 19 has been filed. The
estate is valued at \$16,954.17.

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TIRED NERVES
 Relieved Absolutely by
Cadomene Tablets
 The Real, Satisfying Tonic
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**Ladies Keep Your Skin
Clear, Sweet, Healthy
With Cuticura Soap
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64 Bromfield St.
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Assorted Nuts
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25% to 40% Reduction

The Most Sensational Sale of Shoes Ever Held in the City of Boston
Prices smashed below cost of production, thousands of pairs to select from. Your chance to outfit the entire family at remarkable savings.

STOCK UP NOW AT THESE UNHEARD OF PRICES

THOUSANDS OF PAIRS OF SEASONABLE SHOES THAT
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Unseasonable weather has forced us to make this sacrifice right at the height of the season and at a time when prices on the necessities of life are going skyward with no end in sight. **OUR LOSS IS YOUR GAIN**

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For benefit of out-of-town customers mail orders filled. **Take Immediate Advantage of This Opportunity** For benefit of out-of-town customers mail orders filled.

TO REDUCE THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

SHOES *for Men
and Boys* **SHOES** *for Women
and Girls* **SHOES** *for Children
and Infants*

The values offered in this stupendous sale have not been equalled in years, and it may be a long time before you see their equal again. Come early.

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100% Natural, Soft, Fine
 Lined Paper, Two
 Half reams, 50
 sheets, 20 lb. 5.89
 50% White and Brown
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 Quality, 100 sheets
 per ream, 20 lb. 1.29
 Our
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*The greatest clothes-values we've
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Hart Schaffner & Marx suits at less than wholesale prices

\$42.50

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IF you want to save on clothes—and what man doesn't?—here's the biggest opportunity that this city has seen in a long, long time.

WE purchased the surplus stock of Hart. Schaffner & Marx, and are ready to show you suits usually priced \$55, \$60 and \$65 at \$42.50.

We're very glad we can do so much for you in clothes; the finest goods made at less than present wholesale figures.

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Other Suits, \$35, \$40, \$45, \$50, \$60, \$65 and up

The best stores close at 6 P. M. daily. We've joined the movement, both stores. You'll appreciate it's the fair thing to do for our clerks.

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The ORIGINAL
Malted Milk

Safely
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A Nutritious Diet for All

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DR. C. A. STODDARD
DEAD IN NEW YORK
New York, June 4.—Dr. Charles A. Stoddard, author and clergyman, is dead here at the age of eight, seven years. He was born in Essex, N. Y., in 1855, and from Willamette University in 1880, and from the Union Theological Seminary in 1885.

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RAILROAD UNION FOR MADDOO

Johnson Only Republican With a Strong Labor Following; Palmer Opposed

By International News Service, Montreal, June 4.—This city, under the British flag, has taken on some of the political atmosphere of Chicago.

With the arrival of delegates for the fourth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor, the question of who will be the next President of the United States has become one of the chief topics in society circles.

According to opinion, a year or more are not distant before the next election will be a Republican. Senator Henry W. Johnson of California, there is little doubt that Johnson and William H. Bradley, Democrat, are the two favorites of labor.

Senator Johnson's labor record is described as 100 per cent good. It is through him that the railroad men have won a measure when the union-buster had won.

It is an accepted fact among labor men that some of the railroad workers are about to go to the aid of Mr. Johnson.

Attorney General J. A. McMillan, however, seems to lead in the race. Some of the delegates here are of the opinion that Mr. McMillan would win for him of the labor vote.

General Johnson, however, is to be given the nod by the labor men because of his connection with the steel strike and because he is a military man.

Herbert Hoover is unpopular because of his endorsement of the open shop. Senator Harding came into the picture here as the attorney general.

Representative Henry J. Allen of Kansas, comes in for the "dark horse" at the Chicago convention. Probably he will prove as unpopular as Palmer.

William Jennings Bryan is expected to be the champion of labor at the New Francisco convention.

Governor Edwards of New Jersey has some supporters because of his anti-prohibition views. It is likely, however, that Senator Owen would receive labor support in preference to any other candidate.

Representative of coal miners from Ohio and Indiana declare that Governor Cox of Ohio, Democrat, is acceptable in the home workers.

CLAIM HYSLOP HAS BRAIN HEMORRHAGE
New York, June 4.—Professor James H. Hyslop, famous psychologist and physical research leader, who claimed to have held spiritual communication with the late Professor James of Harvard, has suffered from a hemorrhage of the brain. This was brought out in a dispatch filed in the Syracuse court in connection with an action brought against the American Institute for Physical Research, which Dr. Hyslop helped to found and in which he was secretary.

Mail Clerks Grateful for Aid of Boston American

Editor American: As secretary of the Massachusetts State Branch of the United National Association of Postoffice Clerks, I wish to publicly voice my appreciation of the wonderful campaign you so vigorously waged in your paper during the past several weeks that the postal employees might be granted a just living wage. We will always feel indebted to you for your forceful and convincing editorials.

The mere fact that the Postal Wage Commission sees fit to accord to us an annual wage which, according to conservative statisticians, is at least \$200 less than we had every right to expect and had been encouraged to believe we would receive—all this does not detract in the least from your generous support.

Our national president, C. P. Franciscus, in a telegram received today, informs us that he has filed a protest stating that the Wage Bill is unsatisfactory to the association.

Meanwhile, we will accept what is now offered to us, on the strength of the old saying that "Part of a loaf is better than no bread at all."

THOMAS F. DOLAN
Secretary-Treasurer.

South Postal Station, June 3.

CLOSE HEARING AGAINST OFFICER

Judge Burke to Give Decision on Petition for Assault Warrant Tomorrow

Judge Burke today in municipal court considered the hearing of charges in Hyman Cohen of No. 127 Grove street that he had been assaulted and beaten by Special Officer John A. Sullivan, a guard room of the Lagrange street police station. Cohen is seeking a warrant for Sullivan's arrest.

On conclusion of testimony, Judge Burke reserved decision until tomorrow.

Sergeant Michael J. Trainor of the Lagrange street station, who was on duty at 2 o'clock on May 27 when the alleged assault took place, was the principal witness. He testified that Cohen struck him on the head with a brick.

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BURNED WHILE POURING GASOLINE INTO AUTO
James O. Cleveland, thirty-eight years old, of No. 21 Berkeley street, Jamaica Plain, escaped serious injury today when gasoline he was pouring into his automobile caught fire from a lighted lamp. He was slightly burned about the arms and face. The automobile was not damaged.

PROSECUTE SPEEDERS. SAYS JUDGE LUMMUS
Promote automobile speeders before they kill. This advice was given by Judge Henry T. Lummus in a 12 noon court session in the Superior court in connection with an action brought against the American Institute for Physical Research, which Dr. Hyslop helped to found and in which he was secretary.

NASHAWENA MILLS YIELD TO STRIKERS
New Bedford, June 4.—Following a meeting of the Women's Union, it was reported that the Nashawena mills had agreed to a 48-hour week. Strikers broke down from Boston have arrived in work in one mill where the women are still out.

Watches for Graduates
A Gift That Is Truly Appreciated
When you think of a graduation gift, think of watches—and then come in and let us show you our complete line. Our stock includes only standard American makes—Waltham, Elgin and Hamilton Watches that have won reputation for accuracy and reliability.

The prices for Ladies' Bracelet Watches, either with silk band or convertible style, range from \$20 to \$60. Men's Waltham, Elgin or Hamilton Watches at prices from \$20 to \$75.

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Jewelers for 81 Years
Near Winter St.
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Open Evenings

TOLD TO KEEP WINDOWS OPEN

North End Tenant Complains of Increased Rent and Lack of Repairs

Tenants in the North End are complaining that their windows are being kept open for the summer season.

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Best Styles for Men and Young Men

\$3. \$3.50 \$4. \$5.

I carry only High Grade Hats at Popular Prices

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OUR Mark Down On

Men's Clothing

Means a Cut of \$10.00 to \$15.00 On Our Former Prices

We know that our former selling prices were the lowest possible—quality considered, therefore, these further savings make this a clothes buying opportunity second to none.

\$35.00 and \$40.00

All Wool Suits

Double or single breasted, in greys, dark mixtures—half or full alpaca lined.

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Worsted in neat mixtures; blue and brown flannels; grey, brown and tan cassimeres.

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Men's and Young Men's

Suits

Boys' Mixture Suits—Made strong, trousers full lined, in gray and brown. Sizes 9 to 18. Regularly sold at \$8.98 and \$9.98. Special \$6.65.

Boys' Blue Serge Suits—Guaranteed full color, the very newest style. Trousers full lined. Regular \$12.00 value. Special \$8.49.

THOUSANDS DELAYED BY BREAK IN TROLLEY WIRE

The breaking of a trolley wire in the South End today caused thousands of persons to come away from work.

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GOV. BEECKMAN'S WIFE IMPROVED

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Friday and Saturday

CARNIVAL DAYS

The Great Monthly Saving Event

Thruout the Store

These Days have been set aside as Carnival Days, when all merchandise bought during the past month is absolutely sacrificed and sold on the days advertised—regardless of cost or value. The values at this particular time are much greater than ever before.

Wash Dresses \$5.98

Women's Suits \$19.75

Sport Coats \$12.98

Girls' Dresses \$2.98

White Gabardine Skirts \$1.98

Voile Waists \$1.98

Chemise and Gowns \$1.00

Carnival Days in Our Bargain Basement

Women's \$16.50

Children's \$5.00

Women's \$2.95

Men's and Young Men's \$17.50

Women's \$2.59

Boys' Blue Serge Suits \$8.49

Boys' \$3.80

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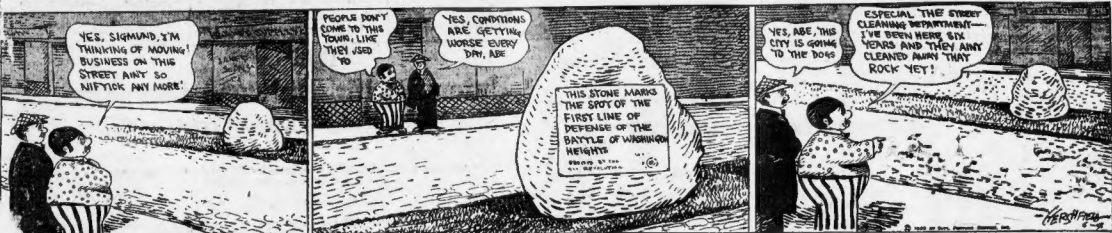
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By George Herriman



BRITISH DIVORCE SUITS MOUNT

Heaviest List in History of Courts Scheduled for Trial

London, June 1.—The heaviest list of divorce suits cases in the history of the British law courts is scheduled for trial soon.

There is a total of 1,355 cases to be heard, which is 600 more than in 1919 and over 800 in excess of 1918. There are also a number of "part heard" cases from the last term and a lot in the reserve list, so that altogether 1,750 suits will have to be considered by His Majesty's judges.

One of the most interesting and interesting, that is, in view of the standing of the parties—in that of Lady M. de V. Somerset, who is petitioning for a divorce against Captain H. C. M. Somerset, Miss Madeline Seymour, one of England's famous actresses, is presenting an unprecedented suit against her husband, Gerald Reid-Kellist, to whom she was married in 1914. Mrs. Sherwood-Kelly, the wife of Colonel John Sherwood-Kelly, V. C., who was also married in 1914, petitioning for a divorce, and among the "part heard" cases from the last session are the suits of Viscountess M. Torrington, Lady V. H. Williams and Lady C. H. Cholmondeley, who are all continuing action against their husbands.

MILFORD TO LOSE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Milford, June 4.—Charles A. Fitch, principal of the Milford High School for the past nine years, has resigned to accept an appointment as instructor at the South High School in Worcester.

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There's a reason—You're laid to a stack of money. Parading this baby's worth while to come and see.

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EVERYTHING TO FURNISH A HOME ON EASY TERMS

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The process for making pure Aspirin is no secret. Trademark signs having expired anyone may use the name "Aspirin". There is no better Aspirin than U. S. C. O. Our regular price 50¢ per 100. Reduced for June only to **49¢**

2 Toilet Preparations for the Price of One
Richter's Peroxide Toilet Cream is a highly efficient, delightfully perfumed disappearing cream, actually made with Peroxide.
Jontel is one of the most famous talcum powders, perfumed with the bouquet of 26 flowers. Very likely one of the most expensive talcum powders produced to sell at a popular price.
Cream and Powder sell regularly at 50c.
During June Only Both for **25c**

20 Reasons Why It Pays to Buy at Liggett's

40 Fletcher's Camellia Compound	39
1.50 Plinkner's Vegetable Compound	34
1.20 Bronco Balm	47
1.00 Lassar's Lotion	78
1.00 Horlick's Malted Milk	10
1.00 Healy's	39
1.50 Currier's Little Live Pills	16
.75 Bad Specimens	54
.40 Calif. Syrup of Pines	45
1.10 Nuxated Iron	79
.30 D & R Cold Cream	8
8 oz. Intestinal Socomest Oil	43
.75 Java Rice for Powder	19
.75 Levy's La Biche Pure Powder	37
.25 Lyon's Tooth Paste	25
Mecca's Talcum Powder	25
.50c Percolated Tooth Paste	39
.35 Kolyon Tooth Paste	25
.35 Colgate Soap	20
.35 Woodbury's Facial Soap	20

They work naturally and form no habit

10 Shampoos for 29c
Cocconat Oil has been found to be of great benefit to the hair. It is one of the chief ingredients in **Flammy Liquid Shampoo**. Produces a heavy lather quickly, cleans thoroughly, aids in keeping the scalp free from dandruff.
Regularly 50c.
During June only **29c**

Pleasant Prevention
Klenzo is a scientific liquid, delightfully cool and pleasant to the taste. Yet possesses distinct germicidal properties. Its daily use in the mouth and throat will prevent to a great degree tooth decay, diseases of the gums and infection of the throat.
Keep Klenzo Antiseptic in the home for toothaches, sore throats, hoarseness or any trouble of the mouth or throat.
4 ounces for **25c**
9 ounces for **50c**

Gold for Dutch East Indies

While talks continue of heavy and shipments from Europe to the country, the United States continues to issue gold to the Far East. Two million dollars in gold coins have just been withdrawn from the New York Sub-Treasury for shipment to the Dutch East Indies.

Who's Responsible for Spreading the Rails

The great financial and economic mind of the country are naturally endeavoring to avoid confusion and to make the situation as clear as possible.

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U. S. Coinage for May

During May, United States coins minted 35,741,566 pieces of money amounting to \$15,762,225. Coins minted were 715,000 gold dollars, 125,000 eagles, 1,200,000 dollars, 2,500,000 quarters, 13,225,000 dimes, 4,675,000 five-cent pieces and 19,125,000 one-cent pieces. In addition, 54,850 bronze pieces of money were coined by government mints for India-China.

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RUSSIAN PROTECTS INDIA

Secret "Trade Pact" With Russia Protects India at Expense of European Nations

By Universal Service.
Washington, June 4.—Great Britain is not the only nation in the world which is in secret touch with the Bolsheviks. Her object primarily is to stop the advance of the Bolsheviks upon the East Indian territories. The Russian-Anglo pact appears to be a "trade pact" which is not a "trade pact" in the ordinary sense of the word. It is a "trade pact" in the sense that it is a pact which is not a "trade pact" in the ordinary sense of the word. It is a "trade pact" in the sense that it is a pact which is not a "trade pact" in the ordinary sense of the word.

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American Appreciates Work of Legislature in Rent Profiteering Fight

In bringing to an end the successful campaign of the Boston American Tenants' League for protective legislation for the rent payers and fair landlords of the Commonwealth, the Boston American wishes to pay a tribute to the good common sense of the present General Court.

Although the five rent bills substituted by the Joint Committee on Judiciary for the original comprehensive bill drawn by Representative Martin Hays are by no means as drastic as the provisions of that bill, nevertheless they give to the Commission on the Necessaries of Life and the local rent committees very powerful weapons against extortion in rentals.

In passing these measures the members of both branches of the Legislature echoed the desires of the people at large, and even though in practice the new laws may not meet with universal approval they will unquestionably be productive of much good. Like other human devised laws they are not perfect; they will not please everyone. But what law does? It must suffice that the General Court has heard the appeal of the rent payers, and has answered that call as its conscience dictated.

The enactment of these five bills puts the future of the rent problem in the hands of the courts and the rent committees. They enable an energetic committee to secure for tenants instant and adequate relief from profiteering landlords. Whether these laws attain in any given locality their full degree of usefulness depends chiefly on the integrity and activity of the local rent committees.

As it conducted this campaign strictly in a spirit of fairness to all, avoiding personalities even where opponents of its efforts were concerned, so now does the Boston American decline to view other than with optimism the future results to be obtained by the rent committees. Until now these bodies have been without power to enforce justice. Henceforth they have that power.

The Legislature in enacting the bills has shifted the burden of protecting the rent payers to the shoulders of the rent committees. The committees must not fail.

Exportation of Coal Should Be Stopped Temporarily

Senator Walsh has called our attention to the impending coal scarcity. Indeed, it is not impending. It is really present with embarrassing results. Governor Coolidge, after consulting with men in the trade, agrees that Senator Walsh's estimate of the critical character of the situation is correct.

Senator Walsh and Governor Coolidge suggest that an embargo be placed upon the coal exported abroad. They declare that, through the inefficiency of the new private management of our railroads, we are not receiving in New England anything like our pre-war consumption of coal. Yet we are exporting to England and other countries for the purpose of keeping up their industries the full pre-war exportation of coal.

It needs only the statement of these facts to show the necessity for stopping in some way, at least temporarily, the exportation of coal.

Future of Country Depends on Hard Work and Saving

Ninety-nine men out of a hundred who amass reasonable competences, and at least ninety men out of a hundred who get rich, arrive at that comfortable state of human affairs by the hardest sort of work and by thrift.

A few men get rich dishonestly and a few men get rich by chance, but the only dependable way of getting together enough to live on is by hard work and saving.

Hard work in this case means not only long hours of labor, but the possession and use of imagination, courage, self-sacrifice and self-denial.

Any man who wants to get enough together to live on in his old age can do so if he is enough in earnest in his desire to work to that end.

The future of this country in the next few years and the welfare of the people in it, will depend very largely on how much the average citizen has saved out of the high wages and big profits of recent years.

Detroit Takes Steps to Solve the Auto Problem

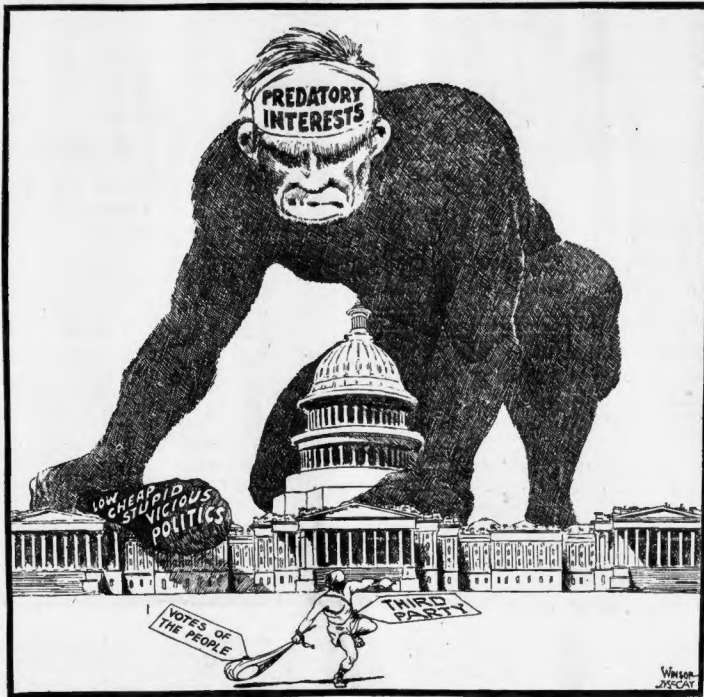
The people of the city of Detroit probably know more about automobiles than the people of any other city in the world. They make automobiles there and the motor car traffic on the streets of Detroit is tremendous.

Detroit has just made a move in the matter of protection of children and pedestrians which Boston might well follow.

The police, municipal judges, and agents of the prosecutors, have agreed that every motor car driver who causes injury to persons in traffic accidents will be jailed, vigorously prosecuted, and if convicted prohibited from future driving for at least one year in addition to the penalty for the immediate accident involved.

The Modern David

May He Subdue the Monster of Corruption Which Seeks to Possess the National Capitol and the White House



The Prayer of the Profiteers

By George Ray Sargent

LORD of the ever-mourning cot of thine,
To Thee we come to pray for our increase.
We ask Thee to confound the foe that brings
Disaster to our plans for greater wealth—
As we are not in business for our health.
These tales of falling values, Lord, must cease.

CONFOUND, Oh Lord, the traitor merchant who
Has set his face against the rising tide
Of costs, and taken upon himself a fide
Of those great burdens that have long been borne
Upon the shoulders of the people. He's a thorn
Thy chosen people, Lord, can't long abide.

TORMENT, Oh Lord, the minion of the press
Who foments trouble for thine eager flock.
He spreads disaster, simply that his mess
Of potage may come cheaper to his board.
Nor cares he if the wolves eat up our hoard.
He gives us, Lord, a most unpleasant shock.

SUSTAIN us, Lord, and make the people meek;
Humility becomes the common race of men.
Teach them, Oh Lord, to turn the other cheek,
That we may always take away their means
And make them dig more deeply in their jeans,
Then we will send aloft our loud AMEN!

Once-Overs

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NOTHING LIKE A SHAVE
"Tis only a man who does not care how he looks does not care what he does."

Lots of truth in that quotation.
You know from experience that you feel less competent and less resourceful in any position if you are not dressed in keeping with your work.

No man has the same vigor and confidence in himself when he is badly in need of a shave and is wearing a spotted collar.

However, it is just as bad to be dressed too formally as it is to be the reverse, for you never can do your best in anything if you must keep thinking of your clothes.

A top is always conscious of his dress.
But why go to the extreme in either direction?

And why, because you are married, show less pride in making a good appearance.
Your wife is more anxious than you are that you should present a neat and clean-cut front to the world, and she thought a lot about your good looks and spic-and-spanness while you were courting her, and she knows she is blamed now for your untidy dress and habits.

Y^c TOWNE GOSSIP

By K. C. B.

DEAR K. C. B.—On a subway train two young ladies got on at the station following mine. There were no vacant seats, and they stood up in front of me. One of them had a paper and read your column and talked of you and of how much she liked your column. Then she spoke of the young man in the seat in front of her (meaning me) and wondered how long before I'd give one of them my seat. Following that the train stopped or started she accidentally stepped on my foot. She also wondered if I would stand if the "Star Spangled Banner" was played.

Now, dear K. C. B., she did not hurt my foot, as it was a new artificial leg that I had just received from the War Risk Insurance. But she did hurt my feelings, and if you would tell her through your column that I left my room, etc. on the heights of Jordan in the Arizona Forest, and that it still hurts me to stand on the artificial leg, perhaps she will forgive me for not offering her my seat.
Fifth Marinas, Second Division.

DEAR J. J. S.—
IF THE girl reads this.
SHE'S GOING to feel badly.
AND OF course she should.
AND AS she reads my column.
AND SEEMS to like me.
THEN I must assume.
THAT WE are friends.
AND BECAUSE it's unlikely.
IT WILL ever happen.
YOU'LL see her again.

I HUMBLY come.
AND IN her place.
AND HER behalf.
I ASK your pardon.
FOR HER thoughtless words.
AND WITH that done.
I WANT to tell you.

ABOUT the other day.
WHEN I bought a starter.
AND FIRST thing I knew.
MY LIGHT gray sock.
HAD ENTWINED itself.
ABOUT the top.
OF MY low tan shoes.

AND FOR how many blocks.
IT WAS hanging down.
AND DRAGGING along.
I REALLY don't know.
BUT I discovered it.
IN A subway station.

AND GOT on the train.
AND FOUND a seat.
AND LADIES got on.
AND I didn't stand up.
AND TRIED to look weak.
SO THEY'D think I was sick.
AND I sat quite still.
AND THE sock stayed up.
TILL I got off the train.
AND YOUR new leg.

AND MY busted starter.
HAD BEEN trusted by the people
WHOM he felt should see through
Carnegie's treachery. No wonder
that Villa is a power with the people.
He has proven himself to be
a man, from the Mexican standpoint,
by being an honest hater.
N. JOSEPH TRAYNOR.

Power to Bring Justice
Editor Boston American:
As an individual clerk in Boston Postoffice, I desire to thank you for the wonderful help you gave us postal employees in securing a living wage from the government.

Until you voluntarily took up our cause, our chances seemed hopeless. Now that victory is in sight, we realize what a tremendous amount of assistance you gave us to win it.

It seems to me, in fact, that you won the victory for us.
I am thanking you for myself, but I know that every other employee feels the same way. The Boston American has once more demonstrated its power to bring justice to a deserving cause.
JOSEPH H. VAUGHN,
South Postal Station, Boston.

FREEDOM OF ERIN ISSUE IN COMING ELECTION

By Col. Arthur Lynch

(Irish-American author, who was released of an Irish brigade on the West side in the south African war and colonel of a British regiment in June, 1918.)

LONDON, June 3.—The Irish question is not simply a domestic matter for England; it is an American problem as well. It is becoming—and I believe this is the view of Sir Auckland Geddes—a world problem, and it must be solved in terms that correspond to this conception.

The approach of the presidential election in America gives a fillip to certain movements. The Republicans and the Democrats are fairly even in strength, and if a great block of votes, determined, for instance, by Irish and German cooperation, were to be thrown on one side or the other, the effect might be decisive on the election.

The saying of Rufus Chas. once American Ambassador, may be remembered here. He said he was going to Ireland in order to see the only English-speaking community not possessed by the Irish.

This remark has, I believe, more force than when it was uttered. The coming presidential election will be fought on a number of new issues. The World War and the treaties that followed have disturbed the latest of all the people in Europe; and so it happens that the usual difference of policy between Republicans and Democrats will be of less importance than the settlement of Greek claims, the adjustment of the dispute between the Jug-Slave and the Italians, the consolidation of Poland, the treatment of Germany, and last, but not least, self-determination of Ireland.

No candidate can afford to ignore these considerations, and as both sides will bid for votes, it is likely that one or other party will be committed to some policy of more active intervention than hitherto in Irish affairs.

Therefore, it seems to me that instead of rebuking the States for manifesting an interest in the Irish question, politicians should give great weight to American opinion in any attempt to arrive at a settlement of the Irish question. The other alternative is friction, not only on this subject but on all ultimately to other points—Egypt, Persia, trade rivalries—and bickerings between the great British speaking powers, and this is the last condition to be desired.

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LITTLE EROS WINKS AT OUR OLD EARTH

By Garrett P. Serviss

A CORRESPONDENT asks for information about the strange asteroid, or minor planet, named Eros, which is one of the greatest curiosities of the sky and in some ways one of the greatest mysteries as well.

Eros was discovered by a German astronomer, Witt, in 1898, who found that some unknown object was making a trail in his photographs. The rapidity of its motion showed that for a celestial body the object was very near the earth.

It was then some 16,000,000 miles away, but at rare intervals it comes within about 13,000,000 miles. That is, as was afterward found out, had been its distance in 1914, when nobody noticed it, and that will again be its distance in 1931, when everybody will, no doubt, take a look at it, for it may then be visible to the naked eye.

The first thing that set astronomers agog over Eros was the extraordinary eccentricity of its orbit combined with its periodical close approaches to the earth, because by coming so close it affords an unrivaled opportunity to get a fundamental measurement of the size of the solar system.

A Valuable Visitor
The astronomer needs to have but one actual measure of distance among the bodies circling around the sun in order to enable him to calculate all the other distances. The nearer to the earth the body chosen for this purpose comes to be, the easier and more certain, of course, is the progress of measurement. The moon will not serve, because it does not revolve independently around the sun, but accompanies the earth. There is, however, a recombinant method of utilizing the moon for this purpose, into which I shall not enter.

Perhaps you have supposed that astronomers already know all the distances in the solar system, but that is not so, for, while they know them to a close degree of approximation, they do not know them with the accuracy that they desire ultimately to attain. Hence in 1931, there will probably be a great ado over Eros, when once more it slides up to within 13,000,000 miles of the earth, which astronomically considered, is almost as good as an embrace.

Eros is a very little body to be an independent member of the planetary system. It is not over twenty-five miles in diameter at the most—no more by a factor of ten than the planets, and while the astronomers were discussing the shape of its orbit and its periodical haunting so near the earth, it gave them a shock by distinctly winking in their telescopic faces.

It looks like a little lamp among the stars, and its light was seen to vary to such an extent that in the course of about two and one-half hours it would become more than threefold brighter or threefold fainter. This implies that it is not a body of the regular planetary shape, that of a sphere or spheroid, but that it may be a mere fragment of irregular form, turning over and over as it revolves around the sun, like a dipa shining in water. Sometimes it shows these variations with more regularity, and sometimes it shows no variation at all.

About Their Shape
The fact that three or four of the other asteroids also exhibit at times smaller, though slighter, variations of brightness has been regarded as a reason for surmising that all of these singular little bodies may be fragments of a disintegrated planet.

As to the precise shape of Eros nothing is known, because its irregularities cannot be seen, but, according to some astronomers, it may have the form of a dumbbell, while others think it is shaped like a sausage, and still others that it may consist of two bodies revolving close together, and constantly getting one behind the other from our point of view.

The correspondent asks what would probably happen if the orbit of Eros became still more eccentric, so as, perhaps, to cause a collision with the earth. It is not so, as there is no reason to anticipate. But, if it did happen, there would be a tremendous disaster all around the place of impact.

